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1.

reported, "One of the principal tasks of SMP 10/130 regions in the USSR's military research organization is to 'broaden threefold' the route from Arkhangelsk, running through the Kara Zemlya island group, on through the Novo Zemlya island group and the Bering Strait to Vladivostok."

2.

[redacted] "broaden threefold" [redacted] meant that this sea route is to be made three times as wide, so that in the future three ships at a time may pass where at present there is room for only one.

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3.

So far as is known, the Soviet Air Force units stationed there are occupied with breaking up the ice masses, allegedly by bombing with special bombs.

4.

Approximately two million people are employed on this construction project, which has been underway since [REDACTED]

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